Central grants for academies in Gujarat

1598. SHRI CHIMANBHAI HARIBHAI SHUKLA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) what are the names of the academies/councils of Gujarat regarding which proposal have been submitted by the Department of Culture of Gujarat Government to the Central Government for sanction of Central grants together with the amount of such grants sought therein and when these proposals were submitted.

(b) whether Central Government have since sanctioned the grants sought for these academies/councils; and

(c) if not, what are the reasons therefor and by when these grants are likely to be sanctioned?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SELJA): (a) The Central Government in the Department of Culture does not give grants to any academies/councils of State Governments.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Contention between ASI and Tourism Ministry

1599. SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALAVIYA:

SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a serious contention has arisen between the Archaeological Survey of India and the Tourism Ministry; and

(b) if so, what are the reasons of contention between the two and what action has been taken by Government to resolve the issue?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPPT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SELJA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Aligarh Muslim University

1600. SHRI O. P. KOHLI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Vice-Chancellor of Aligarh Muslim University had resigned in the recent past;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether later on the Vice-Chancellor, Aligarh Muslim University, withdrew his resignation;

(d) if so, the reasons therefor;

(e) whether Government have taken any steps to streamline the University administration, to weed out the Criminal elements from amongst the students and other ills with which the University is suffering.

(f) if so, the details thereof;

(g) what are the facts brought out in the news-item in "The Hindustan Times" dated 13th July, 1994 under the caption "Rule of non-academic dons"; and

(h) the action taken by Government thereon?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE): (KUMARI SELJA): (a) According to the information furnished by Aligarh Muslim University (AMU), the Vice-Chancellor of the University had not resigned in the recent past.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.